

THE REDCLIFF REVIEW.

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PAY YOUR TAXES.

The tax statements for the town for 1917 taxes are now being sent out and, owing to the reduction of one mill in the rate, they show a slight decrease in the total over last year.

As in the past the town is allowing a discount of ten per cent on all taxes paid before the 30th of this month.

In these times, especially, people should not lose sight of the truth of the old saying that "a dollar saved is a dollar made," and no matter how small your holdings whatever you save by paying your taxes on time is just so much made. Nor is this the only reason we should be as prompt as possible in the payment of our taxes. It is from this source the towns and cities get their revenue with which to meet their obligations. The taxes must be paid some time and the business of the town carried on. The affairs of a town are conducted much along the same lines as any other corporation or business enterprise, and we all know that they can be more satisfactorily and economically conducted under the cash system than under the credit system. It is simply a case of "money talks."

In the past few years—largely no doubt, on account of financial and business conditions—the matter of paying taxes has been neglected. The result has been that towns and cities have experienced great difficulty in meeting their obligations and much needed development has been seriously retarded. We are badly in need of improvement in our water system. Our industrial development demands it. We had mapped out a program to meet the demand but the utilities commission would not sanction it and gave as their reason that we had too much unpaid taxes. This is a concrete case.

This should be a clean-up year around here in the matter of taxes. Conditions have been most favorable in all lines of business for some time. We have not an idle man in town and have not had for many months. Prospects are even brighter for the future and during the past week there has been some signs of activity in real estate.

Pay your taxes on time. It will take a load off your mind for another year, benefit the town and may ultimately help yourself, like "casting bread on the waters."

PROSPECTS BRIGHTEN.

The soaking and refreshing rain this morning is the most welcome visitor we have had around here for some time. While neither the grain nor the garden stuff has been seriously suffering yet this rain came just in time to save the situation and make brighter the prospects for a good harvest.

Ever since seeding operations commenced the weather conditions have been very favorable. The ground was in excellent shape for working, thus enabling the farmers to get in a larger acreage than they otherwise would have owing to the late spring, so that this year there will be a slight increase over the record crops of the last two years. Although we have had no rain of any account till this one the weather has been dull

and cool, allowing the grain to stand out better than if we had had the dry hot winds which usually accompany rainless weather.

On the whole conditions at the present writing are most promising and warrant the prediction that another bumper crop is in store for this district.

THE WATER SUPPLY.

The town officials have issued a notice to the public regarding the using of water for garden and lawn purposes, and it is hoped our citizens will co-operate with them in their endeavor to solve the water situation.

Our readers are, no doubt, well aware of the causes which make this economy in our water supply necessary. They are in a sense most encouraging as they mean that the industrial development and growth of the town in the past eighteen months have created an increased demand for water; a demand which our present equipment at the pumping station cannot supply unless we are all willing to do our share in helping to solve the problem.

Just to show how necessary it is that stringent steps must be taken along this line and that the town officials had no alternative than to act as they did, we might point out that one day last week when the water was being lavishly used for garden and lawn purposes, the pumps were gradually failing behind every hour. At the end of twenty-four hours continuous pumping there was ten feet less water in the standpipe than at the beginning.

While it is a good sign to see people interested enough in their gardens and lawns to water them, yet is just a question whether or not continually soaking them with the ice cold water we have here is a good thing for them. We do not think it is, especially with the kind of weather we have been having ever since the seeds were put in the ground. What garden stuff needs now more than water is good hot weather.

With the soaking shower of this morning it should not be necessary to use the hose again for several days. Let us all get into the big game called "Co-operation" and all do our bit to help solve the problems which we are daily called upon to face in our own little corner.

It is announced that there is a marked shortage of musicians for both the army and navy in the United States. Now that the Alberta elections are over we might send down a whole regiment of musicians who have been tooting their own horns in this province for the past few weeks.

Registration in U. S.

Is Very Successful

Millions of Americans of military age prescribed by congress have registered for the war against Germany. In every state of the Union reports from the polling places to which some ten millions of young men marched last Tuesday to record their names were being assembled for transmission to the war department.

The next step in the government's plan will be the selection of those who are actually to bear arms from others who remain at home because of dependents or to do the work on the farm or in the factory that must be carried on to maintain the nation at war.

The government is well pleased with the results of registration which passed off very quietly, considering the great rush at the registration booth.

The Turks have changed their mind concerning the defense of Jerusalem, according to information reaching the Associated Press from a most trustworthy source. Less than a fortnight ago the Turks had decided to expel Jerusalem without battle, provided the city was seriously menaced. It has been learned that this decision has been changed at the instance of the Germans and that the city will be defended.



HON. ARTHUR SIFTON
Whose Government Was Endorsed by the People in Today's Election.

Daylight Saving to Be Dominion Wide

The Dominion has decided to put in force daylight saving throughout the Dominion. Sir George Foster has given notice of legislation to put all clocks ahead one hour on a day to be fixed later, and keep them so through the summer.

Daylight saving has been adopted in previous years by municipalities in Canada, but was not so successful as it would have been had the system been general, as it will be under the government legislation.

Irish Settlement Not Yet in Sight

Many newspapers assert that the Irish settlement convention will not represent in any respectable manner all shades of opinion in Ireland, and that the settlement will be under no circumstances will they participate in the conference. Was practical effect the constitution will have under these circumstances remains to be seen.

Says Russian Army Gaining in Strength

M. Kerensky, minister of war for Russia, told the military delegates that Russian troops had ceased fraternizing with Germans and that the Russian army was gaining in strength daily.

"After touring the whole of Russia and the battlefield," said M. Kerensky, "I can affirm that the power of the Russian army is increasing daily, based as it is on a new and intelligent discipline. I can affirm, once for all, that that fatalism with the enemy has completely ceased."

More Evidence of German Culture

German submarines are now firing on passenger ships in open boats. Information on this effect has just reached Washington in a letter from a prominent American, who sent this extract from a Scandinavian paper. "The Germans have added one more degree to their brutality and are now firing on people who have left the big boats and are trying to save themselves in small ones, with the very same result as the other day to some Norwegian sailors, that they 'must keep off the ocean.'"

TO FIGHT SUBMARINES.

Samuel Dunsen, the pioneer Canadian aviator, has invented a powerful type of machine for fighting submarines, according to a Turin dispatch to the Petit Journal. The dispatch says that the machine will be manufactured in the United States and supplied to all the allies.

Spain May Join The Allies Soon

A report from Rome says: "While positive information that Spain is to join the Allies at an early date is not available, a member of the pope's entourage who possesses access to all communications declares that Spain's intervention is now more probable than ever before. This prelate added that Spain's intervention would effect the best proof that peace on the allies' terms was imminent, but he refused to hazard a guess as to when Spain would come in."

That prices at which coal and sugar are being sold in Canada are fair and reasonable and without undue profit.

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Amuse-U Theatre, Redcliff
Thursday, June 14th
Admission 50c. Starts 8:30 sharp
Don't Miss it

White Star Livery

Cars make the first trip to Medicine Hat at 6 a. m. and every hour until 8 p. m. Last trip at night at 10.45. 75c Return.

Agents for Medicine Hat Steam Laundry
See us for Prices etc.

Picnic To Elkwater Lake
Owing to requests from our patrons that we arrange for a picnic trip to Elkwater Lake on some Sunday, we have decided that if all who wish to go will notify us at once, we will arrange for one Sunday in this month. Prices will be reasonable and we will have cars enough to accommodate all.

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Ice Cream always on hand at the Home Cooking Store.

Short and Silk Shirts for men at Gibson & Tupper's.

The town council meets in regular session next Monday evening.

Last Monday was King George's Birthday and the school was closed for its honor.

The regular meeting of the Red Cross executive will be held in the society's rooms next Tuesday afternoon.

Special sale on embroidery and lace beginning Saturday, the 9th, at Gibson & Tupper's.

Wm. Keas, who has been confined to his bed for the past few weeks, has now sufficiently recovered to be out around again.

Did you see on your tax notice that there is a discount of 10 per cent on all taxes paid before the end of this month? Better take advantage of it.

John Burns, better known as "Jumbo," has been called home to take his last in the United States army. He left for Steubenville, Ohio last Tuesday night.

The social given last Tuesday evening by the Young People's Society of the Baptist church was a great success. The proceeds, which are to go to the building fund, amounted to \$12.00.

E. J. Crows has had the hall over his barber shop and cigar store all nicely painted and decorated. The work on the walls is especially attractive and gives the hall a clean, tidy appearance.

Earl Fairbanks, who had the misfortune to break his right arm two weeks ago, and has been with his parents here, has been appointed manager of the bank at Milliken.

Through the co-operation of the department of militia and the provincial department of education there will be offered at the summer school for teachers in Edmonton this year courses for those who wish to qualify for the physical training certificate, grade D, or the physical instructor's certificate and for those who wish to qualify as café instructors, providing a sufficient number of candidates enroll for the course.

When They Can't Buy Fashion Craft Clothing They Steal it

So popular is our Fashion Craft Clothing becoming that men are bound to have it even if they have to steal it. This was clearly demonstrated last Monday night when our store was broken into and several suits of Fashion Craft Clothing were stolen. Burglars always want the best and these ones know where to get it.

We still have a good supply left. Call in and make Your Summer Selection. The burglars also left a nice assortment of Summer Shirts, Hats, Underwear and Shoes.

Come in And Look Them Over

W. H. TODD, Shop of Fashion Craft

See those beautiful Silk Shirts at Gibson & Tupper's.

Otto Wilkie has purchased the building on Second street, now occupied by the Redcliff Garage.

Miss Cecelia Stacey, who has been away visiting for the past six weeks, returned home on last evening's train.

Special line of nice new blouses just arrived at the Home Cooking Store.

WANTED—A Medicine Hat Stampede 1,000 subscribers for transporting passengers between City and Stampede grounds. Fare 35c, each way, distance two miles. Come along with your car and make some money.

Mr. and J. Elden and family arrived in town last Tuesday evening and will reside here in future. They lived here previously but have been at Swift Current for the past year.

The second episode of Shielding Shadow at the Amuse-U Friday night, "Wins the Deafie" is the title. Don't miss seeing it. This is a film which grows in interest and excitement from week to week.

Rev. Rice, of Robertson College, Edmonton, occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening. During the service he made an appeal for financial assistance and for recruits for the ministry.

Notices have been sent out to householders that water can only be used for watering gardens and lawns between the hours of 8 and 9 in the evening. This was found necessary owing to the growing demand for water at the different industries.

Rev. G. Lawson Gordon, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, left last Sunday morning for Montreal to attend the meeting of the General Assembly. From Montreal Mr. Gordon will proceed to New Scotland to join Mrs. Gordon. After a few weeks' visit with friends there they will return to Redcliff.

Miss Lavera Crouch celebrated her 14th birthday on Tuesday by inviting several of her young friends to an open air party in Hargreaves' park, Medicine Hat. The youngsters moved down to the park and their lunch baskets with them. They spent the day playing games under the trees and in the afternoon, after having their photos taken, returned safely to their homes tired but happily. Miss Lavera was the recipient of several nice birthday gifts. Among the party were Miss Edith Timmuth, Anie McKinnon, Alice Bonar, Sandra Horne, Jennie Timmuth, Leon Crouch, Kenneth Horne, Wilfred Bonar, Harriet Timmuth, Paul Crouch, Ernest Crouch, Lloyd White, and Miss Sybil Graham, of Medicine Hat.

A new shipment of Canadian Rugs at Gibson & Tupper's.

When friends drop in unexpectedly remember we have a full line of home-made cakes at the Home Cooking Store.

R. W. Jenkins and family of Strathmore, arrived in town this week and will reside here in future. Mr. Jenkins is head engineer for the Wheatlands Company.

A commission composed of English and Canadian officers is now in the United Kingdom for the purpose of enlisting British subjects in that country.

The dance last Friday evening given by some of the young men in town, was well attended and a most enjoyable evening was spent. There were a number present from outside points. The dance was held in the Empress theatre.

The array of window boxes with a nice assortment of flowers in them, gives a most pleasing appearance to the Imperial bank building these days. Manager Reid has displayed great in his selection and arrangement of the different flowers.

The government, it is stated, has finally decided upon a minimum and maximum age of those who will be called upon to register for conscription. The ages are between 20 and 45. It is stated that these classes are specified in the bill.

H. J. Kinsman received the sad news this week of the death of his father in Montreal. Deceased, who was over 83 years of age, had only been ill a few days. Leaving a widow he leaves one son and three daughters to mourn his loss.

The town social held on St. Ambrose church grounds yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the J. W. A. was well attended and a great success. The girls who undertook the affair overtook nothing in the preparations and as a result were being complimented on all sides for their great success. The proceeds amounted to \$51.00.

The secretary of the Red Cross Society is in receipt of a letter from the Ogden hospital acknowledging receipt of the box of provisions sent from here as result of the shower held two weeks ago. The box arrived in good order and its contents none the worse of the trip. The management of the hospital were delighted with the contribution.

At the meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge held in Banff last week, W. H. Hatcher of this town, was elected District Deputy Grand Master for Masonic District No. 2, which takes in Suffield, Redcliff, Medicine Hat, Bow Island, Grassy Lake and Taber. It is expected that several new lodges will be instituted in this district during this year.

CHURCH NOTICES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday morning at 11 a. m., subject: "How the Wall Was Built." Evening at 7.30 p. m., subject: "Was the Elder Brother Lost?" Bible school at 12 noon.

Tuesday—Young People's meeting, topic: "Sins of the Mind."

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Friday—Evangelism 7.30. Choir practice at 8. Sunday—Holy communion at 8; matins 11. Sunday school 12.30. Forenoon 7.30.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The usual forenoon service will not be held. Sabbath School meets at a quarter past two. Divine Worship will be held at 7.30 evening by Mr. Fred Chadwick, who

This summer is student missionary at Bowell.

UNION HIBBLE CLASS. The class meets in the Presbyterian Church at 3.30 on Sabbath afternoon.

Contracts have been awarded to an American firm for construction of a two-squadron aviation field in France where American army fliers will receive final preparation before taking their place at the front.

FARM WANTED. Wanted, to buy a farm in district on crop payments. If you have one to sell write Box 219, Redcliff, Alta.

CARD OF THANKS. Words cannot express our feelings towards our friends for the many acts of kindness they have shown us during the illness of and after the death of our dear daughter. We desire to express our sincerest thanks to all who helped us bear our loss and bereavement.

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Shorts - \$1.85

Bran - \$1.70

Peaches, a gal. 55c

Olives STUFFED AND PLAIN 25c

Tobacco & Cigars

Grape Juice - 25c

Pure Lemonade

Pure Orangeade

Pure Ginger Wine

Large Bottles 35c

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3 lbs. \$1.00

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